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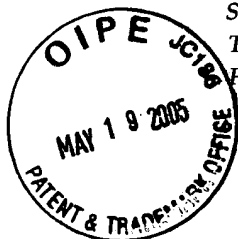
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Re: Applicant(s): Alexander Joffe
Assignee: Applied Micro Circuits Corporation
Title: Systems and Method for Multi-Tasking, Resource Sharing and Execution of Computer Instructions
Application No.: 09/458,551 Filed: December 9, 1999
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate);
- (3) Amendment (11 pages).

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 18, 2005, please amend this application as shown below.

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